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NAME

EVP_MD_meth_new, EVP_MD_meth_dup, EVP_MD_meth_free,
EVP_MD_meth_set_input_blocksize, EVP_MD_meth_set_result_size,
EVP_MD_meth_set_app_datasize, EVP_MD_meth_set_flags,
EVP_MD_meth_set_init, EVP_MD_meth_set_update, EVP_MD_meth_set_final,
EVP_MD_meth_set_copy, EVP_MD_meth_set_cleanup, EVP_MD_meth_set_ctrl,
EVP_MD_meth_get_input_blocksize, EVP_MD_meth_get_result_size,
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EVP_MD_meth_get_init, EVP_MD_meth_get_update, EVP_MD_meth_get_final,
EVP_MD_meth_get_copy, EVP_MD_meth_get_cleanup, EVP_MD_meth_get_ctrl -
Routines to build up legacy EVP_MD methods

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/evp.h>
```

The following functions have been deprecated since OpenSSL 3.0, and can be hidden entirely by defining OPENSSL_API_COMPAT with a suitable version value, see openssl_user_macros(7):

```
EVP_MD *EVP_MD_meth_new(int md_type, int pkey_type);  
void EVP_MD_meth_free(EVP_MD *md);
```

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EVP_MD *EVP_MD_meth_dup(const EVP_MD *md);

int EVP_MD_meth_set_input_blocksize(EVP_MD *md, int blocksize);
int EVP_MD_meth_set_result_size(EVP_MD *md, int resultsize);
int EVP_MD_meth_set_app_datasize(EVP_MD *md, int datasize);
int EVP_MD_meth_set_flags(EVP_MD *md, unsigned long flags);
int EVP_MD_meth_set_init(EVP_MD *md, int (*init)(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx));
int EVP_MD_meth_set_update(EVP_MD *md, int (*update)(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx,
              const void *data,
              size_t count));
int EVP_MD_meth_set_final(EVP_MD *md, int (*final)(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx,
              unsigned char *md));
int EVP_MD_meth_set_copy(EVP_MD *md, int (*copy)(EVP_MD_CTX *to,
              const EVP_MD_CTX *from));
int EVP_MD_meth_set_cleanup(EVP_MD *md, int (*cleanup)(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx));
int EVP_MD_meth_set_ctrl(EVP_MD *md, int (*ctrl)(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx, int cmd,
              int p1, void *p2));

int EVP_MD_meth_get_input_blocksize(const EVP_MD *md);
int EVP_MD_meth_get_result_size(const EVP_MD *md);
int EVP_MD_meth_get_app_datasize(const EVP_MD *md);
unsigned long EVP_MD_meth_get_flags(const EVP_MD *md);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_init(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_update(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx,
              const void *data,
              size_t count);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_final(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx,
              unsigned char *md);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_copy(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *to,
              const EVP_MD_CTX *from);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_cleanup(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx);
int (*EVP_MD_meth_get_ctrl(const EVP_MD *md))(EVP_MD_CTX *ctx, int cmd,
              int p1, void *p2);

```

DESCRIPTION

All of the functions described on this page are deprecated.

Applications should instead use the OSSL_PROVIDER APIs.

The EVP_MD type is a structure for digest method implementation. It can also have associated public/private key signing and verifying routines.

EVP_MD_meth_new() creates a new EVP_MD structure. These EVP_MD structures are reference counted.

EVP_MD_meth_dup() creates a copy of md.

EVP_MD_meth_free() decrements the reference count for the EVP_MD structure. If the reference count drops to 0 then the structure is freed.

EVP_MD_meth_set_input_blocksize() sets the internal input block size for the method md to blocksize bytes.

EVP_MD_meth_set_result_size() sets the size of the result that the digest method in md is expected to produce to resultsize bytes.

The digest method may have its own private data, which OpenSSL will allocate for it. EVP_MD_meth_set_app_datasize() should be used to set the size for it to datasize.

EVP_MD_meth_set_flags() sets the flags to describe optional behaviours in the particular md. Several flags can be or'd together. The available flags are:

EVP_MD_FLAG_ONESHOT

This digest method can only handle one block of input.

EVP_MD_FLAG_XOF

This digest method is an extensible-output function (XOF) and supports the `EVP_MD_CTRL_XOF_LEN` control.

EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_NULL

When setting up a `DigestAlgorithmIdentifier`, this flag will have the parameter set to `NULL` by default. Use this for PKCS#1. Note: if combined with `EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_ABSENT`, the latter will override.

EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_ABSENT

When setting up a `DigestAlgorithmIdentifier`, this flag will have the parameter be left absent by default. Note: if combined with `EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_NULL`, the latter will be overridden.

EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_CUSTOM

Custom `DigestAlgorithmIdentifier` handling via `ctrl`, with `EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_ABSENT` as default. Note: if combined with `EVP_MD_FLAG_DIGESTID_NULL`, the latter will be overridden. Currently unused.

EVP_MD_FLAG_FIPS

This digest method is suitable for use in FIPS mode. Currently unused.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_init()` sets the digest init function for `md`. The digest init function is called by `EVP_Digest()`, `EVP_DigestInit()`, `EVP_DigestInit_ex()`, `EVP_SignInit`, `EVP_SignInit_ex()`, `EVP_VerifyInit()` and `EVP_VerifyInit_ex()`.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_update()` sets the digest update function for `md`. The

digest update function is called by `EVP_Digest()`, `EVP_DigestUpdate()` and `EVP_SignUpdate()`.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_final()` sets the digest final function for md. The digest final function is called by `EVP_Digest()`, `EVP_DigestFinal()`, `EVP_DigestFinal_ex()`, `EVP_SignFinal()` and `EVP_VerifyFinal()`.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_copy()` sets the function for md to do extra computations after the method's private data structure has been copied from one `EVP_MD_CTX` to another. If all that's needed is to copy the data, there is no need for this copy function. Note that the copy function is passed two `EVP_MD_CTX *`, the private data structure is then available with `EVP_MD_CTX_get0_md_data()`. This copy function is called by `EVP_MD_CTX_copy()` and `EVP_MD_CTX_copy_ex()`.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_cleanup()` sets the function for md to do extra cleanup before the method's private data structure is cleaned out and freed. Note that the cleanup function is passed a `EVP_MD_CTX *`, the private data structure is then available with `EVP_MD_CTX_get0_md_data()`. This cleanup function is called by `EVP_MD_CTX_reset()` and `EVP_MD_CTX_free()`.

`EVP_MD_meth_set_ctrl()` sets the control function for md. See `EVP_MD_CTX_ctrl(3)` for the available controls.

`EVP_MD_meth_get_input_blocksize()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_result_size()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_app_datasize()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_flags()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_init()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_update()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_final()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_copy()`, `EVP_MD_meth_get_cleanup()` and `EVP_MD_meth_get_ctrl()` are all used to retrieve the method data given with the `EVP_MD_meth_set_*`() functions above.

EVP_MD_meth_new() and EVP_MD_meth_dup() return a pointer to a newly created EVP_MD, or NULL on failure. All EVP_MD_meth_set_*(*) functions return 1. EVP_MD_get_input_blocksize(), EVP_MD_meth_get_result_size(), EVP_MD_meth_get_app_datasize() and EVP_MD_meth_get_flags() return the indicated sizes or flags. All other EVP_CIPHER_meth_get_*(*) functions return pointers to their respective md function.

SEE ALSO

EVP_DigestInit(3), EVP_SignInit(3), EVP_VerifyInit(3)

HISTORY

All of these functions were deprecated in OpenSSL 3.0.

The EVP_MD structure was openly available in OpenSSL before version 1.1. The functions described here were added in OpenSSL 1.1. The EVP_MD structure created with these functions became reference counted in OpenSSL 3.0.

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